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First Named Inventor: Philippe L. Durette

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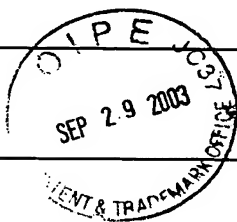
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Examiner Name: David Lukton

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT \$290

METHOD OF PAYMENT

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Deposit Account Name Merck & Co., Inc.

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------------|-----------------|------------------------|----------|
| 1001 | 750 | Utility filing fee | |
| 1002 | 330 | Design filing fee | |
| 1004 | 750 | Reissue filing fee | |
| 1005 | 160 | Provisional filing fee | |
| SUBTOTAL(1) | | | \$0 |

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| | Extra | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--|-------|----------------|----------|
| Total Claims 13 - 22 ** = 0 x \$18 = 0 | | | |
| Independent Claims 2 - 3 ** = 0 x \$84 = 0 | | | |
| Multiple Dependent Claims \$280 = | | | |

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------------|-----------------|---|----------|
| 1202 | 18 | Claims in excess of 20 | |
| 1201 | 84 | Independent claims in excess of 3 | |
| 1203 | 280 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid | |
| 1204 | 84 | **Reissue independent claims over original patent | |
| 1205 | 18 | **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent | |
| SUBTOTAL(2) | | | \$0 |

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|---|-----------------------|--|----------|
| 1051 | 130 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | |
| 1812 | 2,520 | For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination | |
| 1251 | 110 | Extension for reply within first month | 110 |
| 1252 | 410 | Extension for reply within second month | |
| 1253 | 930 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 1254 | 1,450 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 1255 | 1,970 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 1401 | 320 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 1402 | 320 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 1403 | 280 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 1452 | 110 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
| 1453 | 1,300 | Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 1501 | 1,300 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 1502 | 470 | Design issue fee | |
| 1460 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 1807 | 50 | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) | |
| 1806 | 180 | Submission of Information Disclosure Statement | |
| 8021 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 1809 | 750 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 1810 | 750 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
| 1801 | 750 | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |
| Other fee (specify) IDS under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(p) | | | 180 |
| Other fee (specify) | | | |
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